DEPARTMENT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814



March 24, 1975

ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 75-61

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: Mailing of Special Information Notice to SSI/SSP Recipients

REFERENCE:

Attached for your information is a sample copy of a special stuffer notice that will be included with the April 1 Medi-Cal I.D. Card issuance to SSI/SSP recipients. The notice, printed in English and Spanish, provides information on the special allowance for restaurant meals available to aged and disabled SSI/SSP recipients whose independent living arrangements prevent the preparation of meals at home.

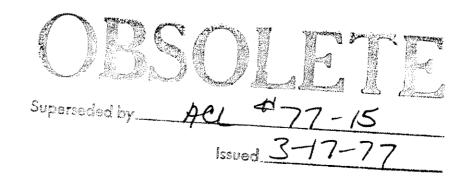
Questions concerning this stuffer notice should be directed to the Adult Program Management Branch, 744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, (916) 445-0813.

Sincerely,

DERNIS O. FLATF Deputy Director

cc: CWDA

Attachment



NOTICE:

IF YOU ARE AN AGED OR JISABLED RECIPIENT RECEIVING A GOLD COLORED CHECK UNDER THE SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME/STATE SUPPLEMENTAL PROGRAM (SSI/SSP), AND ... YOU DO NOT HAVE COOKING FACILITIES IN YOUR HOME ...

YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR ADDITIONAL BENEFITS.

The State Supplemental Program provides for an additional benefit of \$25 for an aged or disabled recipient (or \$50 for a couple, if both are aged or disabled recipients) IF YOUR INDEPENDENT LIVING ARRANGEMENTS PREVENT YOU FROM PREPARING YOUR OWN MEALS.

If you don't have FOOD PREPARATION FACILITIES, INFORM YOUR LOCAL SOCIAL SECURITY DISTRICT OFFICE. They will fully explain this benefit to you, and arrange for a determination of your cooking facilities by your county welfare department.

IF YOU ARE DETERMINED ELIGIBLE for this additional state funded benefit, payment will be made as a part of your SSI/SSP check.

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